

Sporting Department

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE FOR BASKETBALL SEASON READY

"Big Eight" Program Has Been Drawn Up and Will Provide Large Number of Games—Michigan is Not Included in Schedule and Will Not Play Game This Year.

Chicago, Nov. 15.—Representatives of the Western Intercollegiate Basketball association, in annual fall session held recently, voted to retain the present rules practically intact, and then proceeded to draw up a schedule for the winter season which will open on Jan. 14 and continue for two months with games among the members of the "Big Eight."

Mr. J. E. Rayeroff, of Chicago, with L. J. Crooke, of Minnesota as secretary, presided at the meeting, which was attended by thirty members, coaches and camp followers. Because of feckless conflicts with other universities' fixtures, some of the teams were unable to adopt a full schedule and were given thirty days to send complete and correct returns to Dr. Rayeroff. After agreeing that the signal to start contests should be a gun instead of a pistol shot, the following tentative schedule was adopted:

Jan. 19.—Illinois at Minnesota, Purdue at Iowa.
Jan. 15.—Purdue at Minnesota, Northwestern at Chicago, Illinois at Wisconsin.
Jan. 21.—Wisconsin at Illinois, Indiana at Chicago, Iowa at Minnesota, Indiana at Northwestern.
Jan. 25.—Chicago at Northwestern, Jan. 28.—Wisconsin at Chicago.
Jan. 29.—Purdue at Illinois, Wisconsin at Indiana.
Feb. 3.—Minnesota at Iowa.
Feb. 5.—Minnesota at Wisconsin, Purdue at Chicago, Indiana at Illinois.
Feb. 8.—Purdue at Indiana.

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Blows Which Have Brought Home the Money for the Best Known Pugilists Differ—Johnson's Best Blow is a Right Hand Uppercut While Jeff Depends on Left Hook.

When Jack Johnson knocked Stanley Ketchel out at Colma recently he used his favorite blow, a right hand uppercut or hook, delivered squarely on the point of the jaw when the Michigan pugilist came rushing at him full tilt. Johnson was "set" firmly on both feet when he landed the punch and in that way he employed the same method that won for him the heavyweight championship of the world.

Going back through pugilistic history you can find many instances of fighters who depend wholly upon one particular punch delivered at the crucial moment. Sixty years ago Tom Hyer won the championship of America with straight hitting from the shoulder. He punched like a battering ram with either hand and in that way he beat down the famous Yankee Sullivan, who was one of the trickiest fighters that ever toed the scratch.

John L. Sullivan's best blow was a right hand swing for the point of the chin. He usually rushed in with the left hand to brush aside his antagonist's defense and then followed with a terrific right.

Corbett Only a Boxer.

Corbett's best blow was a sharp cutting left, which he drove into the face with great rapidity, but he did not have enough power behind it to inflict much harm. He chopped Sullivan to pieces with those left hand jabs and also dropped the ancient Mitchell with them at Jacksonville. In his battles with Sharkey, Jeffries and McCoy Corbett used the left for many clean cut points, but he never had these men in trouble, and was simply a boxer, not a fighter. Corbett used his right on the defense a greater part of the time, and whenever he landed a blow with it there was little or no steam behind it.

Dempsey's Mainstay.

A snappy left hand wallop was Jack Dempsey's mainstay. The way he met rushing sluggers with his left was worth seeing. Dempsey had a good right hand, too, and could do a lot of damage with it, but in practically all of his important fights he used the left with effect. Joe Gans, former lightweight champion, had a great right hand hook which made him famous, but at that he was a wonderful two-handed fighter.

How Fitz Did It.

Nearly all of Robert Fitzsimmons' victories were due to half arm jolts on the jaw or stomach at close quarters or in breakaways. He stopped Hill, Maher, Creedon, Sharkey and others in this manner before he met Corbett for the world's title at Carson City. Fitz made a study of Corbett and decided that the latter's stomach was a weak spot. The Cornishman was the inventor of the "left hand shift," which he landed on Corbett's solar plexus in the fourteenth round and put Jim down for the fatal count. Before this Corbett had out-boxed Fitzsimmons with remarkable ease.

Jeff a Left-Hander.

Jeffries is essentially a left-handed fighter. It is said that he can hit harder with that hand than with the right. His most effective punch is a rigid left hand hook, with which he stopped Fitzsimmons, Rubin, Corbett and Munroe. In each instance, he reached the body with this wallop following it quickly with a smash on the jaw. In his twenty-five-round

Feb. 12.—Chicago at Minnesota, Northwestern at Indiana.
Feb. 18.—Chicago at Purdue.
Feb. 19.—Chicago at Indiana, Northwestern at Iowa.
Feb. 24.—Purdue at Iowa.
Feb. 25.—Wisconsin at Minnesota, Indiana at Iowa.
Feb. 26.—Illinois at Chicago.
March 1.—Indiana at Purdue.
March 4.—Illinois at Purdue.
March 5.—Illinois at Indiana, Chicago at Wisconsin.
March 7.—Indiana at Wisconsin.
March 9.—Minnesota at Illinois.
March 10.—Minnesota at Purdue.
March 12.—Purdue at Wisconsin, Minnesota at Chicago.

The Michigan University is not represented in the schedule which has been drawn up, it having been decided that the college would not be represented with a team this year.

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fight with Sharkey. Jeff used the left

with such telling effect that the sailor left the ring with several broken ribs. Tommy Ryan taught the boller-maker this trick.

Ketchel's best blow is a left swing used in conjunction with a feint and a shift. It was this swing that knocked Johnson down in the first round at Colma and raised a lump on the negro's jaw in one of the earlier rounds. His style is awkward and a lack of science in point of self protection is a fatal weakness.

How McCoy Earned Fame.

Kid McCoy earned fame with what was termed a corker punch. When he shot it in he gave his wrist a sudden twist, and the result was remarkable. Though comparatively frail in build, McCoy with this blow knocked out such heavyweights as Chynowski, Maher, O'Donnell and Planché, while among the middleweights he stopped or bested were Creedon, Tommy Ryan, Jack Bonner, Dock O'Brien, Billy Smith, Tommy West, Dave Barry and others. McCoy with his left-hand jabs cut nearly all of his men to ribbons.

Papke has a combination punch with right and left. Last May he put Hugo Kelly to sleep with this double wallop in the first round. Papke holds both arms almost rigid, with the elbows stiff, and yet wallops away with tremendous power.

NATIONAL SKI TOURNEY ON NEW STEEL SLIDE

According to advice received from the Mesaba range the Itasca Ski club of Coleraine is making extensive preparations for the National Ski tournament to be held there in February. A tornado a short time ago wrecked the old scaffold and slide and the club is now raising funds to pay for a new steel structure to take its place. Over \$500 has already been contributed. The Oliver Iron Mining company lead the list with \$200, and J. C. Greenway, who is at the head of the Oliver company's mining affairs there, has contributed \$50. The Itasca Iron News of last week had the following reference to the proposed new scaffold and tournament:—

"It is generally admitted that the promoting of this fine sport has been a rather expensive luxury, for this district. The Itasca Ski club have taken cognizance of this fact, and are making plans to leave the sport after the national tournament on a business basis, where it will assist in supporting itself, and not throw all of the burden upon the business men. A part of the plan lies in the new steel scaffold, which will leave the club with something permanent, and will cut off the expense from year to year, in remodeling and making of

the hill. Plans are made for a grand stand, to which admission will be charged, and there will be a nominal charge of admission. In the past admission having been practically free. The sport should be left after this year self-sustaining. This will be as it should be.

SHUNS COPPER COUNTRY.

Whitehead Thinks Game Has Been Dealt Hard Blow Here.

Walter Whitehead, the Duluth light heavyweight colored fighter, will leave in about 15 days for Memphis, Tenn., where he is assured two bouts, one of them with the Dixie Kid, who has been beating about everyone he has met with the exception of Sam Langford. Walter does not know who his other opponent will be, says the Duluth News-Tribune.

He was matched with a St. Paul fighter for the copper country, but the game was dealt a last blow by the recent Schreck-Ross fiasco, there and it is hardly likely that any more bouts will be staged in the red metal district for a time.

IS AFTER KETCHEL.

Hugh McGinn, the light heavyweight, is anxious to meet Stanley Ketchel in a twenty-round bout. At Easton, Pa. tonight he will tackle Jack Reed, and November 23, at Philadelphia, Joe Thomas will meet him.

LEGAL NOTICES.

TAMARACK MINING COMPANY. SPECIAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Tamarack Mining company will be held at the office of the company, 12 Ashburton Place, Boston, Massachusetts, on Tuesday the 14th day of December, 1909 at 12 o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes, namely:

I. To consider and vote upon the question of authorizing the alienation and conveyance of certain lands and real estate of this company situated in the county of Keweenaw, Michigan, known as the "Cliff Lands."

II. To consider and vote upon the question of taking for said lands stock in a new corporation to be organized for mining on said lands, and to consider and vote upon the question whether, and on what terms, the stock so taken shall be offered to the stockholders of the Tamarack Mining company.

III. To consider and vote upon the question of amending the by-laws of said company so as to change the time of holding the annual meeting of said company to the first Wednesday in April in each year instead of the first Thursday in May as now fixed.

IV. To transact such other or further business as may lawfully come before said meeting.

Dated at Boston, Mass., November 10, 1909.

By order of the directors,
GEORGE A. FLAGG, Sec'y.

Nov. 5, 15, 22, 23.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.
The Probate Court for the County of Houghton.

At a session of said court held at the Probate Office in the Village of Houghton, in said county, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1909.

Present: Hon. Geo. C. Bentley, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of August Clero.

Eugene C. Welden having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is ordered, that the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Calumet

News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

(Seal) GEO. C. BENTLEY,

Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
Geo. D. Freeman,
Register of Probate,
P. H. O'Brien,
Attorney for Petitioner.

Oct. 25; Nov. 5, 15.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.
The Probate Court for the County of Houghton.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Houghton, in said county, on the 22nd day of October, A. D. 1909.

Present: Hon. Geo. C. Bentley, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Thomas Newbigging, deceased.

Joseph W. Seiden having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the eighteenth day of November, A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in The Calumet News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

(Seal) GEO. C. BENTLEY,

Judge of Probate.

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Geo. D. Freeman,
Register of Probate,
MacDonald & Kerr,
Attorneys for the Estate.

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Paul Schaeffer having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

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It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in The Calumet News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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Judge of Probate.

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Geo. D. Freeman,
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Attorneys for Estate.

Nov. 6, 13, 20.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
I herewith notify all persons not to extend my wife, Mary Toth, any credit in my name, as she has left my home. Dated at Calumet, Mich., November 5th, A. D. 1909.

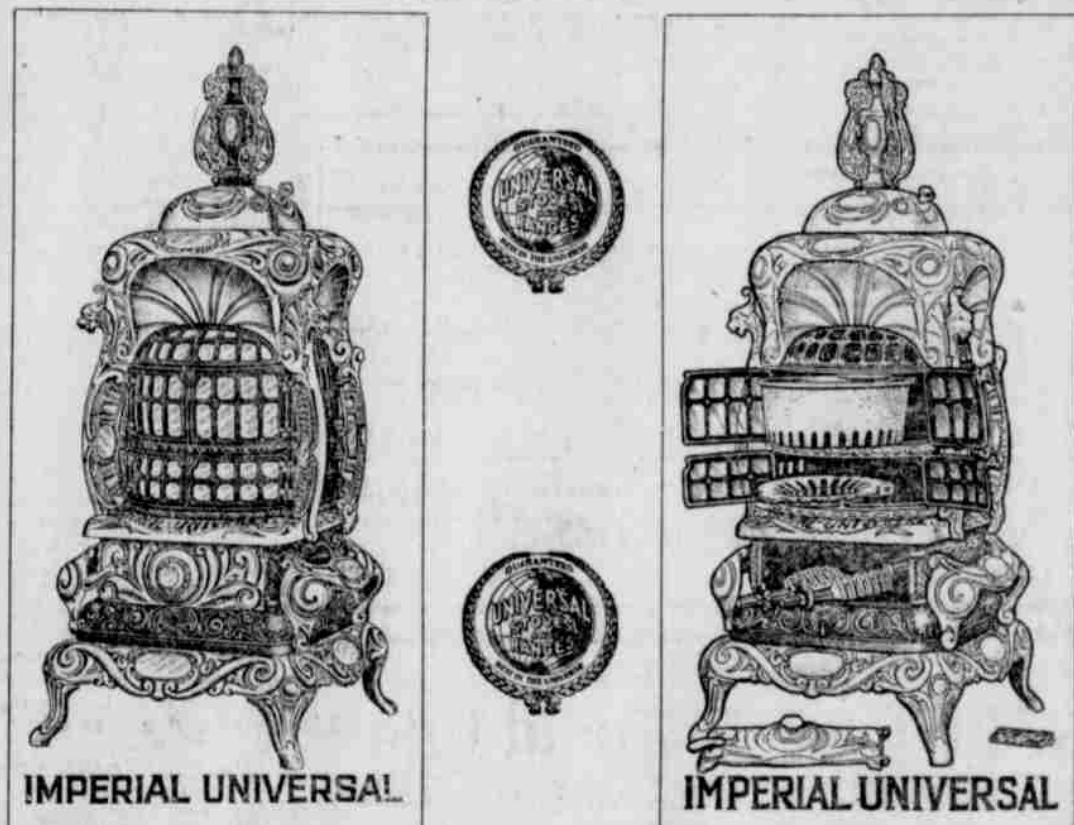
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